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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

SUBJECT: COMINT and TALENT Clearances for Bureau of Budget Personnel

- l. The Director of the Bureau of Budget, Mr. Maurice H. Stans; his Assistant Director for Management and Organization, Mr. William S. Finan; and the Chief of the Military Division of the Bureau of Budget, Mr. William Schaub, are travelling to Offutt Air Force Base on or about 2 June 1958 for a series of briefings by General Thomas S. Power, Commander of Strategic Air Command. They will be accompanied by Mr. W. Carl Blaisdell, the Department of Defense representative to the Bureau of the Budget.
- 2. Full participation and effective orientation of these personnel in Strategic Air Command capabilities and concepts requires COMINT and TALENT clearances on the part of the visiting personnel. It is noted that Mr. Stans is currently cleared for COMINT, and that Mr. Schaub, is currently authorized clearance for TALENT though he has not as yet been indoctrinated.
- 3. It is requested that Mr. Stans be granted a TALENT clearance and that Mr. Schaub be authorized a COMINT clearance, and that Mr. William Finan, be granted TALENT and COMINT clearances by the Central Intelligence Agency to afford these Bureau of Budget personnel an opportunity for a complete and comprehensive briefing by the Strategic Air Command. It is also requested that a TALENT position be authorized for Mr. Blaisdell of the Office of the Secretary of Defense. The clearance of Mr. Blaisdell will be coordinated with General Erskine in the Department of Defense.
- 4. I have authorized SENSINT clearances for all of the above personnel.

FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF:

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